

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
SEATTLE DIVISION

TAYLOR P. MCDERMOTT,

Plaintiff,

vs.

COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL SECURITY,

Defendant.

Civil No. 2:24-cv-01558-MLP

ORDER

Pursuant to the parties' stipulated motion, the Court hereby ORDERS that this matter is remanded to the Commissioner under 42 U.S.C. § 405(g) (fourth sentence), for further administrative proceedings. On remand, the Commissioner will offer the claimant the opportunity for a hearing; further develop the record as needed; further evaluate the claimant's subjective symptom complaints; further evaluate the medical opinions and prior administrative medical findings; continue through the sequential evaluation process, as necessary; and issue a new decision.

After judgment, Plaintiff may be entitled to reasonable attorney's fees and costs pursuant to the Equal Access to Justice Act, 28 U.S.C. § 2412(d), upon proper request to this Court.

DATED this 25th day of March, 2025.



MICHELLE L. PETERSON
United States Magistrate Judge

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